## MEETING MINUTES OFFENDER REGISTRATION WORKING GROUP

DATE: January 22, 2008 TIME: 1:00 - 2:30PM

LOCATION: Kansas Bureau of Investigations, Topeka Annex Building

## Attendance:

David Hutchings, Special Agent in Charge, Kansas Bureau of Investigation (KBI) Erik Wood, Manager PSAII, KBI Offender Registration Unit Shelia Sawyer-Tyler, Administrative Officer, KBI Offender Registration Unit Holly Holman, SAS, KBI Offender Registration Unit Nicole Musquiz, SAS, KBI Offender Registration Unit Kelly McPherron, Assistant Attorney General, KBI Lance Royer, Major, Shawnee County Sheriff's Office Emily Adams, Deputy, Shawnee County Sheriff's Office Phil Blume, Shawnee County Sheriff's Office Al Deathe, Sergeant, Douglas County Sheriff's Office David A. Ricke, Judge, Butler County District Court Melissa Purkepile, 13th Judicial District Community Corrections Tyler C. Lockett, Honorable Supreme Court Justice, Kansas Supreme Court Lisa Fleming, Supervising Officer, Johnson County Adult Probation Mike Marshall, Johnson County Sheriff's Office Gary Borstelman, Johnson County Sheriff's Office Loretta Wyrick- Severin, Kansas Meth Prevention Project Michael Oliver, Captain, Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office Kim Kleinsorge, Detective, Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office Chris Rieger, Kansas Department of Corrections Christina Leffel, Sergeant, Cowley County Sheriff's Office Leslie Huss, SRS-Health Care Policy Judy Hinman, JJA Chris Hine Reece, IJA Bethany Fields, Riley County Attorney's Office Carrie Howell, KDOC-Topeka Parole

## Minutes of the Meeting:

Jeannie Wark, KDOC-Topeka Parole

1. Erik Wood called the meeting to order and introduced himself as the Manager of the Offender Registration Unit (ORU) for the Kansas Bureau of Investigation. The remaining attendee's introduced themselves. Erik Wood provided a briefing of the last Working Group meeting.

Jason Gilmore, Sergeant, Wyandotte County Sheriff's Office

2. Copies of the ORWG Agenda, Minutes from the previous meeting, proposed ORWG bylaws, and Copy of Legislative Clean-Up for 2008 were handed out. The floor was open for review and discussion. Kelly McPherron talked about the legislative clean-up. She has sent the changes to the Attorney General's

Office and the Sheriff's Office Association. Erik Wood expressed that the changes should reflect to be Adam Walsh Compliant minus the juvenile portion of the AWA.

- a) Length of registration was discussed.
- b) It was suggested that transient offenders be determined on a case by case determined by the Sheriff's Office.
- c) Major change to Drug Offenders is they will be required to register whether charge was for personal use or not.
- d) It was discussed by several members to change the verbiage in the statute to take out knowingly and intentionally any place it is used.
- e) Verbiage was suggested to allow for the collection of DNA by Sheriff's Department policy and procedure and not require blood.
- f) Discussion was to add to the Violent Offenses, Involuntary Vehicular Manslaughter, since it is a more severe crime.
- g) Judge Ricke suggested in 22-4902 keeping "Whichever is longer" when referring to the length of registration for juveniles. Everyone agreed.
- h) Discussion was had regarding the severity levels for failing to register. It was decided that the Bureau would ask for severity levels 5 and 6, but allow the legislature to determine the levels and in both written and verbal testimony would inform the legislature as to the needs of two severity levels.
- 3. Erik Wood opened for discussion the Proposed By-Laws as created. Deputy Emily Adams asked for a list of members on the board. Erik is going to send a list out. In accordance with the bylaws they were accepted by unanimous vote..
- 4. The KBI Website is projected to be up and running March 2008. The major thing stopping the process is the mapping feature. Some of the changes are as follows:
  - a) Better mapping features
  - b) Updates every 15 minutes.
  - c) Easier to search. Can search for compliant and noncompliant offenders.
- 5. Bi-State Offender Management Group postponed to later date. Date is to be announced.
- 6. KCJIS 2008 will be held in June in Hutchinson, KS. Erik Wood will speak on behalf of Offender Registration regarding the new legislative changes.
- 7. Field Training for 2008 will begin June reflecting the new legislative laws for local Sheriff's Offices. Training will be provided upon request.

- 8. Next ORWG Meeting: Date April 15, 2008 Time at 1:00PM Location Johnson County Court Services, 18505 W 119<sup>th</sup> Street, Olathe, KS 66061. If you need directions you may call Lisa Fleming (913)715-7445.
- 9. Agenda for next meeting: To be announced
- 10. Meeting Adjourned at 2:30PM.